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A BILL TO BE ENTITLED

AN ACT

1
2 relating to the receipt or consideration of a petition requesting
3 detachment and annexation by the board of trustees of a school
4 district consolidating under a local consolidation agreement.

5 BE IT ENACTED BY THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF TEXAS:

6 SECTION 1. Subchapter D, Chapter 13, Education Code, is
7 amended by adding Section 13.160 to read as follows:

8 Sec. 13.160. RECEIPT OR CONSIDERATION OF PETITION
9 REQUESTING DETACHMENT AND ANNEXATION BY DISTRICT CONSOLIDATING
10 UNDER LOCAL CONSOLIDATION AGREEMENT. Pending the effective date of
11 consolidation and the assumption of office by the initial board of
12 trustees of a school district consolidated under a local
13 consolidation agreement under Section 13.158, the board of trustees
14 of a district consolidating with one or more other districts under
15 the agreement may not receive or consider a petition requesting
16 detachment and annexation under Subchapter B without the consent of
17 a majority of the board of trustees of each district consolidating
18 under the agreement.

19 SECTION 2. Section 13.160, Education Code, as added by this
20 Act, applies only in the case of a local consolidation agreement
21 entered into by school districts on or after the effective date of
22 this Act.

23 SECTION 3. This Act takes effect immediately if it receives
24 a vote of two-thirds of all the members elected to each house, as

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1 provided by Section 39, Article III, Texas Constitution. If this
2 Act does not receive the vote necessary for immediate effect, this
3 Act takes effect September 1, 2013.